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## INFORMATION RELEASE

DATE & TIME 07/22/12 5:31 PM

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Incident: Death Investigation

## **MESSAGE**

On Sunday, July 22, 2012, at around 12:40 p.m. Rockford Police Officers were sent to 422 S. Henrietta Ave. for a medical assist. Upon arrival Officers located a black male in his 50's laying face down.

The victim was determined to be deceased. The cause of death was suspicious and investigators were called to the scene. The preliminary investigation shows the individual sustained a gun shot wound.

An autopsy will be scheduled. The investigation is on-going. Anyone with any information is encouraged to call (815) 987-5824.

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